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## IN THE UNITED STATE'S PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S)

: Lu, et al.

SERIAL NO.

: 09/961,028

**FILED** 

: September 21, 2001

**FOR** 

: Artificial Lipoprotein Carrier System for Pharmaceutical Use.

GROUP ART UNIT : 1653

Examiner

: A. Mohamed

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop: Non-fee Response

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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

## SIR:

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time for responding to the Examiner's restriction requirement of December 31, 2003, for which a one-month response period ending January 31, 2004 was set. The extended deadline is March 31, 2004. The amount of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for a two-month extension of time is enclosed. Small entity status applies in this application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due in connection with this communication, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-0838.

Respectfully submitted,

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